## **Abbreviations and Acronyms**

μg/m³ micrograms per cubic meter
AADT annual average daily traffic
AAQS Ambient Air Quality Standards

AASHTO American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials

Acronyms and Abbreviations

AC alternating current

ACEC area of critical environmental concern
ACHP Advisory Council on Historic Preservation

ADT American Discovery Trail

AFB Air Force Base

AGFD Arizona Game and Fish Department

AGI American Geological Institute

AGL above ground level

AIRFA American Indian Religious Freedom Act

AML appropriate management level

amsl above mean sea level
APE Area of Potential Effect

APLIC Avian Power Line Interaction Committee

Avian Protection Plan **APP** Applicant TransWest Express LLC **AQRV** air quality related value **AQS** Air quality standard ATV all-terrain vehicle ΑU analysis unit **AUM** animal unit month B.P. Before Present

BA biological assessment

BCC Birds of Conservation Concern

BCCE Boulder City Conservation Easement

BCR Bird Conservation Region
BE biological evaluation

BGEPA Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act

BHCA Bird Habitat Conservation Area

BIA Bureau of Indian Affairs

BLM Bureau of Land Management

BLS Bureau of Labor Statistics
BMP best management practice

BO biological opinion

BRTG Biological Resources Task Group

CAA Clean Air Act
CaCO<sub>3</sub> calcium carbonate

CAS Utah Conservation Agreement Species

CCR Colorado Code of Regulations

CDA Colorado Department of Agriculture
CDNST Continental Divide National Scenic Trail
CDOT Colorado Department of Transportation

CDOW Colorado Division of Wildlife

CEC Commission for Environmental Cooperation

CEQ Council on Environmental Quality
CFR Code of Federal Regulations

cfs cubic feet per second

CGS Colorado Geological Survey

CGSSC Colorado Greater Sage-grouse Steering Committee

CMP Comprehensive Management Plan
CNHP Colorado Natural Heritage Program

CO carbon monoxide CO<sub>2</sub> carbon dioxide

CO<sub>2</sub>e carbon dioxide equivalent

COM Plan Construction, Operation, and Maintenance Plan

COT Conservation Objectives Team
CPW Colorado Parks and Wildlife

CR County Road

CSO Conditional Surface Occupancy

CSU controlled surface use
CUP Central Utah Project
CWA Clean Water Act

CWMU Cooperative Wildlife Management Unit dBA decibels on the A weighted scale

DC direct current

DCA Deed of Conservation Agreement

DOD Department of Defense

U.S. Department of Energy

DOT Department of Transportation

U.S. Distinct Population Segment

DRUA Dispersed Use Recreation Area

dv deciview

ECM Environmental Compliance Monitors
EDRR Early Detection Rapid Response

EHV extra-high voltage

EIS environmental impact statement EMF electric and magnetic field

EO Executive Order

ERMA Extensive Recreation Management Area

ESA Endangered Species Act

EXP/NE Experimental Non-essential population

ExPA Experimental Population Area
FAA Federal Aviation Administration

FBFM Fire Behavior Fuel Model FCR Field Contact Representative

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FHWA Federal Highway Administration

FLAG Federal Land Manager's Air Quality Related Values Workgroup

FLM Federal Land Manager FLM Fuel Loading Model

FLPMA Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976

FO field office

FPPA Farmland Protection Policy Act

FR Federal Register

FRCC Fire Regime Condition Class

FS Forest Sensitive

FSM U.S. Forest Service Manual

g gravity

GAO U.S. General Accounting Office GBBO Great Basin Bird Observatory

GHG greenhouse gas

GIS geographic information system

GLO General Land Office

GMP General Management Plan GPS Global Positioning System

GSM General Soil Map

GWh/yr gigawatt hours per year

HA herd area

HAP hazardous air pollutant

HEA Habitat Equivalency Analysis
HMA herd management area

Hoover Act Hoover Power Plant Act of 1984
HPTP historic properties treatment plan

HUC Hydrographic Unit Code

I-15 Interstate 15
I-70 Interstate 70
I-80 Interstate 80

IBA Important Bird Area

ICNIRP International Committee on Nonionizing Radiation Protection

ID Interdisciplinary

IM Instruction Memoranda

IPCC Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change

IPP Intermountain Power Project

IR Impaired Waters Assessment Report

IRA inventoried roadless area

ISA Instant Study Area
ITA Indian Trust Asset

KGRA Known Geothermal Resource Area

km kilometer

KOP key observation point

kV kilovolt

Final FIS

LADWP Los Angeles Department of Water and Power

LATN Low Altitude Tactical Navigation

LAU Lynx Analysis Unit

LCAS Lynx Conservation Assessment Strategy

LCCRDA Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act

LRMP Land Resource Management Plan LRP limited revegetation potential

LUP Land Use Plan

LWC Lands with Wilderness Characteristics

m meter

MA Management Area

MBTA Migratory Bird Treaty Act

MFP management framework plan

mG milliGaus

MgCl<sub>2</sub> magnesium chloride

MIS management indicator species
MLRA Major Land Resource Area
MOA Military Operations Areas

MOU Memorandum of Understanding

mph miles per hour MSL mean sea level

MTR military training route

MW megawatt

Mw moment magnitude MWC Milford Wind Corridor

MWh megawatt hour MZ Management Zone

N Nitrogen N<sub>2</sub>O nitrous oxide

NAA Nevada Archaeological Association
NAAQS National Ambient Air Quality Standards
NABCI North American Bird Conservation Initiative

NAC Nevada Administrative Code

NAGPRA Native American Grave Protection and Repatriation Act of 1990

NCA National Conservation Area

NDA Nevada Department of Agriculture
NDOT Nevada Department of Transportation

NDOW Nevada Department of Wildlife

NEP non-essential population

NEPA National Environmental Policy Act

NERC North American Electric Reliability Corporation

NESC National Electric Safety Code NFMA National Forest Management Act

NFS National Forest System

NHD National Hydrography Dataset NHL National Historic Landmark

NHPA National Historic Preservation Act

NHT National Historic Trail

NNHP Nevada Natural Heritage Program

NNL National Natural Landmark

NO<sub>2</sub> nitrogen dioxide NOA Notice of Availability

NOAA National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration

NOI Notice of Intent
NO<sub>X</sub> oxides of nitrogen
NPS National Park Service
NRA National Recreation Area
NRC National Research Council

NRCS Natural Resources Conservation Service
NRHP National Register of Historic Places

NRS Nevada Revised Statute
NSB National Scenic Byway
NSO No Surface Occupancy
NST National Scenic Trail

NSU no surface use

NTSA National Trails System Act
NTT National Technical Team

NTTG Northern Tier Transmission Group
NTTR Nevada Test and Training Range
NVUM national visitor use monitoring

NWCG National Wildland Fire Coordinating Group

NWR National Wildlife Refuge

NWReGAP Northwest Regional Gap Analysis Project
NWSRS National Wild and Scenic River System

O<sub>3</sub> Ozone

OCTA Oregon-California Trail Association

°F degrees Fahrenheit
OHV off-highway vehicle
ORV off-road vehicle

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

P.L. Public Law

PA Programmatic Agreement
PAC Protected Activity Center
PAC Priority Area of Concern

PFYC Potential Fossil Yield Classification

PGA peak ground acceleration
PGH Preliminary General Habitat

PIF Partners in Flight

PLPCO Public Lands Policy Coordination Office

PM particulate matter

 $PM_{10}$  particulate matter with an aerodynamic diameter of 10 microns or less  $PM_{2.5}$  particulate matter with an aerodynamic diameter of 2.5 microns or less

PMZ Primary Management Zone

PNV potential natural vegetation POD Plan of Development

ppb parts per billion

PPH Preliminary Priority Habitat

ppm parts per million

ppmw parts per million by weight

Project TransWest Express Transmission Project
PRRIP Platte River Recovery Implementation Program

PSD Prevention of Significant Deterioration

PUP Pesticide Use Proposal

RA Recreation Area

Recovery Act American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

RFFA reasonably foreseeable future action RFRA Religious Freedom Restoration Act

RMP Resource Management Plan

RN roaded natural
ROD Record of Decision

ROS Recreation Opportunity Spectrum

ROW right-of-way

RPPR Regional Project Planning Review

RRTT Rapid Response Team for Transmission

RV recreational vehicle

RVA remnant vegetation associations

SAIC Science Applications International Corporation

SAR Small Arms Range

SCCA South Central Wyoming Conservation Area

SCD soil conservation district

SCORP Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan

SD/MA Special Designations or Management Area

SDA special designation area

SDNHM San Diego Natural History Museum

SEZ Solar Energy Zones
SH State Highway

SHPO State Historic Preservation Office

SIO Scenic Integrity Objective
SIP State Implementation Plan

SITLA School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration

SMA special management area

 $SO_2$  sulfur dioxide  $SO_X$  sulfur oxides

SPCC Plan Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasures Plan

SPM Semi-Primitive Motorized
SPNM Semi-Primitive non-motorized
SQRU Scenic Quality Rating Unit

SR State Route

SRMA Special Recreation Management Area

SRP Special Recreation Permit SSURGO Soil Survey Geographic

STS Southern Transmission Systems

SUP Special Use Permit SWA state wildlife area

SWMA State Wildlife Management Area
SWPPP Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan
SWReGAP Southwest Regional Gap Analysis Project

TAC The Anschutz Corporation TCP traditional cultural property

TDS total dissolved solid

TERP Terminal Instrument Procedures

the Act Energy Policy Act of 2005

THPO Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
TIP Transmission Infrastructure Program

TL Timing Limitations

TMDL total maximum daily load

tpy tons per year

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TWE TransWest Express
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UDEQ Utah Department of Environmental Quality
UDNR Utah Department of Natural Resources
UDOGM Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining
UDOT Utah Department of Transportation
UDWR Utah Division of Wildlife Resources

UGS Utah Geological Survey
UHF ultra high frequency

UNHP Utah Natural Heritage Program

UPRR Union Pacific Railroad

URMCC Utah Reclamation Mitigation and Conservation Commission

URUD unroaded/undeveloped

USACE United States Army Corps of Engineers

USAF U.S. Air Force

USAS Utah Statewide Archaeology Society

USC United States Code

USDA United States Department of Agriculture
USDOI United States Department of the Interior
USDOT United States Department of Transportation
USEPA United States Environmental Protection Agency

USFS United States Forest Service

USFWS United States Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS United States Geological Survey
UTTR Utah Test and Training Range

VHF very high frequency

VOC Volatile Organic Compound VQO Visual Quality Objective

VRI Visual Resource Inventory
VRM Visual Resource Management

WAFWA Western Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies

WBD Water Boundary Dataset

WCMA Wolf Creek Management Area

WCR Wilderness Characteristics Review

WECC Western Electricity Coordinating Council

Western Western Area Power Administration

WGFD Wyoming Game and Fish Department

WHMA Wildlife Habitat Management Area

WHO World Health Organization
WMA Wildlife Management Area
WRCC Western Region Climate Center

WSA wilderness study area
WSR Wild and Scenic River
WWEC West-wide Energy Corridor

WYDOT Wyoming Department of Transportation WYNDD Wyoming Natural Diversity Database